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**PATENT** 

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Meckes et al.

Group Art Unit: 3653

Serial No.: 10/085,357

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Examiner: Matthew Kohner

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Docket No.: 63288-0317

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MONITORING GROUPED RESOURCES

## **AMENDMENT A**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated January 23, 2003. A Petition for a 1-month Extension of Time is being filed simultaneously herewith extending the period for a response to the Office Action up to and including May 23, 2003. Favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

## **AMENDMENTS**

Please amend the subject application as indicated on the following pages: